ERVICES FOR MR. MOODY

TRIBUTES PAID TO HIS MEMORY AT

Hebrews iv and Corinthians t, 15, He closed with a prayer beseeching Christ "to forbid in our hearts the sorrow of heathen unbelief, but to fill ur lives with Christian hope of resurrection." He referred to Mr. Moody's life with thanks for the work begun, and prayed that some one

The Rev. Mr. Torrey then spoke on the bless ings of the certainty of the life beyond the grave. His talk was principally of the noble Christian life of the dead evangelist.

The funeral is to be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the details for which have been completed. The body will be taken to the church at 9 a. m. by the Mount Herman students and will lie in state until 2:30 in the afternoon. the services will be held, after which it taken to the last resting place, on Round Top. The only music during the service, aside from singing by the regular choir of the church, will be the singing of "The Rock of Ages," one Ir Moody's favorite hymns, by the Mount nan male quariet

Honorary pallbearers have been named as J. J. Janeway, New-Brunswick, N. J.; rse, of the Young Men's Christian As-National ation National Committee.

Orge C. Stebbins, Brooklyn; Ira D. Sankey George C. Stebbins, Brooklyn, Ira D. Sankey. Brooklyn J. J. Estey, Bratileboro, Vt.; C. A. Hopkinson, Boston; H. M. Moore, Boston; Dr. N. T. Wood, Northfield, and Professor A. H. Cutler, of Mount Herman Seminary. In answer to telegrams sent to several men who had been associated with Mr. Moody

ork, offering them an opportunity to few words over the body of the dead speak a few words over the body of the deservengelist, five have responded, accepting the invitation. Those who will speak are Dr. H. G. Weston, of the Crozier Theological Seminary, Chester, Pena; the Rev. Arthur T. Pierson of Brooklyn; Bishop Mallalieu, of Boston; the Rev. Chapman, of New-York, and H. M.

THE MANY SIDED MOODY.

INCIDENTS IN THE LIFE OF THE GREAT EVANGELIST-GOOD NATURE AND COMMON SENSE.

East Northfield, Mass., Dec. 24.—In illustrating the subject of grace Mr. Moody told the Northfield Seminary students one morning this incident

In the little red schoolhouse which stood nearly boys who can things, and I was one of the We had a man teacher, who used the rattan us a good deal, and took us by the ears and here was a great deal of excitement in our end faction said that love would do for the boys what he rattum failed to do. The other faction thought that the rattan was the only proper punishment. After a while the love faction ruled and there was

but didn't we think we were going to make hum! So I said to the other boys, 'Now ill have all the fun we want!' Well, the first ne to be punished was Dwight Moody. I was told after school. I told the boys if she tried What do you think that teacher did? She sat down and old me that she had come to the school hoping to | right in? of them. If she couldn't teach school without whipping the boys she would resign. She spoke most lovingly and wept while talking. That broke I would rather have had a rattan used on me than to see her cry. I said: 'You will never ave any more trouble with me, and the first boy that makes trouble, I will settle him. That woman won me by grace. The next day one of the boys ut up, and I whacked him. I whacked him so that the teacher told me that was not the way to win the boys. Do you know what grace It means unmerited mercy, undeserved

LITTLE TIME FOR INTERVIEWS.

A New-York clergyman accustomed to receive attention when he makes a request went to North-field to consult Mr. Moody about the ability of a Christian worker. Knowing how busy Mr. Moody was, the doctor of divinity asked for an appoint-ment when the question could be discussed at length, with the least annoyance and the greatest freedom from interruption

What do you wish to see me about?" The sub-

"Get his boots if you can. They are better than most men's bodies." The interview ended, and the discussion ceased

with that remark. The clergyman went home fully convinced that a volume of references from ordi-mary men would not be as effective in behalf of the candidate as the homely illustration which he repeated to the writer.

Mr. Moody was as apt in ridding himself of obfectionable speakers as he was in securing those who are helpful. P. E. Meyer tells of a good man ta recent Northfield conference who professed to have reached the highest pinnacle of perfection, and shouted "Hallelujah!" with disagreeable emphasis when the speaker touched any of his With considerable give Mr. Moody told Dr. Meyer one morning that the man had gone off on the early train-

How did you manage it? said Mr. Meyer. Well he came to my house this morning," replied Mr. Moody, "and had a lot to say about himself, but I told him that I shouldn't believe a word of it quiess I could ask his wife."

When challenged to run a footrace at a Sunday school picute in Northfield a few years ago he said; I have peart disease, and would full dead if I should make such an effort." At the same time he was holding meetings every day and speaking requestly, in addition to carrying the burdens of

Mr. Moody often spoke of his lack of Bible knowledge in early life, when urging young people to become Bible students. He said that when he first attended a Sunday school in Boston a Bible was handed to him, but he could not find the chapter nor even the book where the lesson was. The teacher very considerately, seeing his difficulty,

specied a Bible and handed it to him. "I put my thumb in that Bible," he said, in his characteristic way, suiting the action to the word, "and I never took it out until the lesson closed. I knew I never could find the place again if I once

"My mind is made up," he said one time. question proposed namely, the relative merits of Christianity and infidelity, under whatever other name it appears. Somebody once asked Charles Summer to hear the other side of slavery. Hear the other side, he replied. There is no other side. I would as soon discuss the merits of Christianity and infidelity. Nobody who studies history need hesitate in answering the question. I know what the Lord Jesus Christ has done for me during the last forty years since I trusted Him. Let the members of your club accept Christ as their personal Saviour, and they need not waste time dis-cussing such a question. If I had a remedy that failed to cure disease for forty years 1 should not stop to compare its merits with another

HIS LOVE FOR THE BIBLE In the beginning of his public work Mr. Moody aked outside of churches, and was often misun-

derstood by clergymen. He felt that there were scores of men in every denomination who could each the people far better than he could, if they would lay aside a little clerical dignity and make the man outside feel that the Church was as de-

EAST NORTHFIELD.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE FUNERAL COMPLETED—HONORARY PALLBEAR

ERS NAMED.

East Northfield, Mass. Dec. 24—The family of the late evangelist Dwight L. Moody remained they attended services at the Congregational Church Mrs. Moody, who had been considerative and they attended services at the Congregational Church Mrs. Moody, who had been considerative and they attended services at the Congregational Church Mrs. Moody, who had been considerative and the sister. Fleming Reveil and Mrs. William H. sister. Fleming Reveil and Mrs. William H. sister. Fleming Reveil and Mrs. William H. sister, Fleming Revei

WORKING WITH THE CHURCHES.

His desire to support the regular work of the urches was evidenced two or three years ago, when he literally crushed the proposed Northfield olunteers as foreign missionaries, when the regu-

volunteers as foreign missionaries, when the regular denominational board could not send them for lack of funds. People who have known him for many years and heard him speak frequently said that taey had never heard him throw more earnestness into an address than when he said:

Some of the people have been sending me checks for this fund. I want you to call them back, or I shall send them on to the missionary boards. I am in sympathy with the boards and have no sympathy with the croakers. You cannot find a better set of men on this continent than those in the American Board. You cannot find a better set of men than those in the Presbyterian Board. Where can you find a better man than Robert Spaer? Where will you find a man that is doing better work than Bishop Thoburn in India. Any man that is working as he is in India we will help. Dr. Clough is also doing a magnificent work there. better work than signop incours at man that is working as he is in India we will help. Dr. Clough is also doing a magnificent work there. We are in hearry sympathy with these regular boards. I think it is a great mistake to send any money outside of the regular channels.

I want to say a word also about pledging one's self to become a missionary. God does not want everybody to go to China or India. There are everybody to go to China or India. There are

self to become a missionary. Gold uses everybody to go to China or India. There are everybody to go to China or India. There are several thousand people waiting to go, not a quarter of whom. I think, are fit to go. No man is fit to go to India if he can go anywhere else. When he feels 'Woe is me if I do not preach the Gospel in India,' then it is time for him to go. People come to a missionary meeting and get stirred up and pledge themselves to go to a foreign field under the influence of flaming speeches.

want him to get all stirred up and I do not am going to India or Africa. I want God to call him and not a convention. When he gets further along in his studies and sees what he can do, if the Lord calls him to India or Chia. If the Lord calls him to India or China or A or anywhere else, I will say with all my hear and God bless you."

FAITH AND WORKS.

Mr. Moody talked to his Heavenly Father in God was as simple as his own child's confidence in him. He used means, however, and believed in faith and works. On one occasion the trustees of the Mount Hermon School had come to the end of

the Mount Hermon School had come to the end of their resources, and \$5,000 was needed for the completion of a part of the work. A gentleman in the Board of Trustees suggested the name of a possible giver, and urged that Mr. Moody go and lay the case before him.

"Brethren," said he, "I don't think we have tried prayer enough. I will write and spread the case before Mr.—, and we will all lay it before the Lord." Mr. Moody wrote a letter in which he put the claims of this school for the Christian education of young men with all the wisdom, force and earnestness of which he was capable. Then he spread the sheets before him, and kneeling down besought God's blessing upon the appeal, and sent it upon its errand. The letter was brought in with others to the breakfast table of the Christian man to whom it was addressed. He read one page carefully and laid it down, continuing his meal. Then he took it up again, and after reading further re-

wealthy friend for \$10,000 which was needed. One of the trustees said that the man had changed his methods of benevolence, and gave now only in sums amounting to \$300 a day and to a variety of objects. Mr. Moody said, "I will go and see him." The man's hour for Christian giving found Mr. Moody in line with a number of others waiting his furn. When it came and his name was announced

Moody, didn't you send your name Moody, "I have come at the leave his room, \$10,000 for Mount Hermon," and James R. Kee read the case before him. In reply Mr. — said that he had changed his method of giving, and gave no more large sums, but only a certain amount daily.

"But." said Mr. Moody, "you believe in the there in the course of the day, it was said. One there in the course of the day, it was said.

And you are willing to help it forward?"

"Tertainly."
Then, why not give the money now. Three hundred dollars will not do any good."
After a little thought he said, "Mr. Moody, I will give you \$5.00."
"But that is only half enough. Don't you see that I need the \$10.000 now, I can't spare the time to come every morning for two or three weeks to get the rest."

that I need the \$10,000 now. I can't spare the time to come every morning for two or three weeks to get the rest."

Mr. Moody's importunity and ready wit prevailed. His friend burst out laughing at the idea of Mr. Moody's coming every morning till he got the sum he needed and he sent him home with the \$10,000.

For honest doubt he had the utmost sympathy, and he spared neither time nor effort to lead a man to make a right decision, but he had no patience with a man who asked him hard questions simply for the sake of argument. No man could distinguish between the real and the false more quickly. He often told this experience.

"A man came to me with a difficult passage in the Bhile the other day and saidt 'Mr. Moody, what do you do with that?"

"I do not do anything with it."

"I do not explain it."

"I do not explain it."

"I do not explain it."

"You do not believe it. do you."

"Oh, yes, I believe it."

"There are lots of things I do not understand, but I believe them. I do not know arything about higher mathematics, but I believe in them. I do not understand astronomy. Can you tell me why the rame kind of food turns into flesh, fish, hair, feathers, hoofs, finger nails, according as it is eaten by one animal or another? A man told me awhile ago he could mot believe a thing he had never seen. I said, Man, did you ever see your brain?" Did you ever the very things to which Christ has set His seal."

"THE LAST OF THE GREAT GROUP."

DR. HILLIS SAYS DWIGHT L. MOODY BE-LONGED TO THE FIRST ORDER OF GREATNESS.

"The Last of the Great Group-A Study of Mr. Moody's Life Career and Message," was the subect of a sermon by the Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hills in Plymouth Church yesterday morning. In the evening there was a special musical service, under the direction of G. Waring Stebbins. There were selections from "The Messiah" and "The Holy

In speaking of Dwight L. Moody Dr. Hillis said

In speaking of Dwight L. Moody Dr. Hillis said in part:

When long time hath passed, some historian, recailing the great chocks and religious teachers of cailing the great chocks and religious teachers of the great chocks and religious teachers of the great chocks and religious order. Mos of the great was a herald of good tidings; each made a permanent contribution to the common peace the first order of greatness for the greathers, representing a high order teachers, representing a high order teachers, representing a high order teacher in the greathers, representing a high order teacher in the greather in the greathers, representing a high order to teacher in the greather in the greathers, representing a high order teacher in the greather in the greathers, representing a high order teacher in the greather in th

things were a little safer because these four men were in their appointed places. The first three were commanders, each over his regiment, and worked from a fixed centre, but the evangelist was the leader of a flying band, who went every whither lito the enemy's country, seeking conquests of peace and righteousness. Be the reasons what they may, the common people gladly heard the great in peace and righteousness. Be the reasons what they may, the common people gladly beard the great he have lost their best friend. For nearly forty years the multitudes have pressed and thronged into the great halls and churches to hear this herald speak of duty, sin, salvation and God's love in His great Christ. But, disappearing from our sight, he is not dead. While life continues, for multitudes he will remain a cool spring flowing in a desert, the covert of a took in time of sorrow.

"Where were the hidings of his power?" you ask. From nothing nothing comes. Blood tells. A great ancestry explains a great man. The time was when God wants a John the Basse, prophet

"Where were the hidings of his power?" you ask. From nothing nothing comes. Blood tells. A great ancestry explains a great man. The time was when men thought God calls the prophet. But when God wants a John the Baptist He calls not the son, but the father and mother, and they ordain the child in the cradle and before the cradle. And the greatest evangelist since Whitfield had his power through the ordainment of a great ancestry. He was of the best old New-England stock. His father had the fine old Puritan fibre, and his mother, widoved with her little flock about her, exhibits almost unparalleled heroism, courage and hope in the hour of suffering and trouble.

Without the cloquence of Spurgeon, without the fine culture of Phillips Brooks, without the supreme genius of Mr. Beecher, Mr. Moody was a heraid, a man sent forth from God, who called the unchurched classes to repentance, who flamed forth on them the love of God in Christ. For nearly six years, it is said. Mr. Moody's audiences averaged five thousand each afternoon and evening a record that has never been surpassed in all the history of evangelism. "Our bishops," said "The London Telegraph." "have back of them a State income, great cathedrais, a small army of paid helpers and musidians, but where our bishops have reached tens this man has reached hundreds."

THE MOODY MEMORIAL SERVICE.

The elaborate Moody memorial service will be held at 2:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon ni Calvary Baptist Church, in West Fifty-seventh-st., of which the Rev. Dr. R. S. MacArthur is pastor and the Rev. Dr. Frank R. Morse, associate pastor. The Rev. Dr. Russell Conwell and John Wana-maker, of Philadelphia, have been asked to attend, and it is believed both will seem to Minister from and it is believed both will accept. Ministers many of the city and a number of out of churches have intimated their intention to be ent and take part in the service.

THE ATTACKS ON B. R. T.

INTEREST IN THE EFFORTS TO DIS-COVER THOSE RESPONSIBLE.

MR. SHEEHAN, OF THE COMPANY'S COUN-SEL SAYS HE IS NOT AT LIBERTY TO SPEAK OF RECENT DEVFLOP-

> MENTS-WHAT A FRIEND OF MR. KEENE SAYS.

The decision of the directors of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company to use every effort to discover who was responsible for the many malicious rumors put in circulation regarding their property, and their offer of a reward of \$25,000 for information which would lead to the detection of such person or persons, continued to excite the interest of Wall Street men yesterday. As announced in The Tribune yesterday, the interest has been intensified by the fact that Talbot J. Taylor, head of the Stock Exchange firm of Talbot J. Taylor & Co. and the son-in-law of James R. Keene, had been subpænaed to appear before the Grand Jury next Wednesday in connection with the matter, and that persons not named had been attacking the stock. Mr. Taylor told a Tribune reporter Saturday night that he knew none of the details, that he had been summoned to appear simply as a witness, and that he did not know what to make of it.

MR. SHEEHAN HAS LITTLE TO SAY. William F. Sheehan, counsel for the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, when he was seen yesterday at his home, No. 16 East Fifty-sixthst., was no more communicative than he was on Saturday. He said that while personally he would be glad to give The Tribune all the facts in his power he was not at liberty at present to say anything regarding the case. When he was asked if any further subpænas had been or would be issued, he said he was not in a position to answer. He refused also to impart any hint of what took place when he went before the Grand Jury, or of the nature of the steps which were to be taken by the company. When he was finally asked if any developments, had taken place since Saturday night he made the reply; "None that I am at liberty to speak about."

An effort was made to see De Lancey Nicoll last night, but to a Tribune reporter who called at his house, No. 123 East Thirty-eighth-st., he sent word that he was indisposed and could not

at the Waldorf-Astoria when he is in town, was not at the hotel last night, and he had not been of the clerks said he had heard that Mr. Keene had gone out of town to spend his Christmas.

President Clinton L. Rossiter of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company was seen last night at his home, No. 48 Montgomery Place, by a Tribune reporter, but said that he had made it a rule not to talk for publication at his home. "The matter is in the hands of the counsel of the company, Sheehan & Collin," added Mr. Rossiter, "and I sincerely hope that the dishonest practices which have been in vogue lately will soon be ended."

STATEMENT OF A FRIEND OF MR. KEENE. A friend of Mr. Keene made a statement last

evening, the substance of which follows: evening, the substance of which tonows.

Several months ago, when the market was bowling along fairly well, and showed only ragged weakness in spots, and before the heavy depression set in, James R. Keene was credited with being heavily short of various so called Flower stocks, notably Brooklyn Rapid Transit, People's Gas, Federal Steel and one or two others. The drives attainst these stocks only others, fairly impression. About this time People's Gas, Federal Steel and one of two others. The drives arainst these stocks only made a faint impression. About this time stories began to be circulated in Wall Street, said Mr. Keene's friend, to the effect that Mr. Keene had assumed too big a job. It was said that he had asked for mercy and was begging for extensions, it was declared that certain persons had decided to let Mr. Keene off on his contracts and allow him to cover. These stories were persistent, and, according to this friend, they annoyed him and he became resentful. He called Edward D. Jones, who is associated with the firm of Taihot J. Taylor & Co., into his office, and said to him, declared the same authority: "These stories originate in the following places." Here Mr. Keene named them. "Now, I want you to see those men and tell them plainly I want a stopput to this. Unless there is a full denial from their side within three days of the stories told I shall take my own measures to refute them." Mr. Jones did as he was requested, but no denial came. Mr. Keene was bitter. He started in to sell the market, and plunged heavily. The drive started by Mr. Keene and his friends went even further than Mr. Keene ever anticipated, it was added. It was said yesterday that Mr. Keene and his friends had covered all their "shorts" and were out.

Mr. Keene and his friends had covered all their

Mr. Keene and his friends had covered all their"shorts" and were out.

Mr. Taylor said yesterday that he would appear before the Grand Jury to answer any
questions. Mr. Jones has passage booked for
Europe a week from next Wednesday, and he
does not think the subpoena will interfere with
his sailing. The explanation that will be made
by Mr. Taylor and his friends, so it is said, is
that they sold the stock because they thought it
was selling too high; that they covered when
they believed it had gone low enough, and that
they know nothing about the malicious reports.

SANTA CLAUS ARRIVES.

CHRISTMAS JOYS PROVIDED FOR RICH AND POOR.

DAY OF MERRY-MAKING AND FEASTING-CLEAR AND COLDER WEATHER PROMISED.

The poor of this city will by no means be forgotten this Christmas. However hard it was for the reindeer team to get here, with no snow on the ground, it is here, and the pile of bundles aboard is about the biggest that St. Nick's freight stevedores ever handled.

The Salvation Army has no small share of this consignment. In the Madison Square Garden to-day the lads and lassles will give twenty thousand dinners away for only the asking. At 11 o'clock sixteen thousand baskets are to be distributed for those who want to gather about the board at home. In each of these baskets are turkey, chicken, vegetables, pastry and sticks of candy. At 6 p. m. tables will be spread for four thousand more. Music will follow the feasting, and at 7 o'clock an entertainment will be given. Six hundred homeless men will find a home at McAuley's Water-st. mission. It matters

past. The dinner of turkey and mince pie which will be served will probably make them forget all about previous hunger, for the time at least. The prisoners on Blackwell's Island and in the Kings County Penitentiary will fare as well as their wardens to-day. The Department of Correction has made out a bill of fare which is an attractive one.

little if they have had good or bad luck in the

Those who are ill will not be forgotten. In St. Mark's Hospital, in Second-ave., gifts will be distributed to the sick at 4 p. m. Those who are to weak to eat a regular turkey dinner with are to weak to eat a regular turkey dinner wire cranberry sauce will have something extra-dainty from the diet kitchen. Flowers will be placed on the tables beside their beds, and the nurses will have pinks to wear in their hair. The little cripples at the Orthopedic Hospital have a Christmas tree. At 3.20 p. m. its load of rattles, blocks, balls and dolis will be dis-tributed among the children. The older in-mates of the hospital will receive their gifts in the evening. have something extra

NEWSBOYS ALSO REMEMBERED

The annual Christmas dinner for newsboys will be given with all its usual side dishes at Brace Memorial Lodging House, No. 9 Duanest., at 7 p. m. There will be toasts delivered by "Toe Bill" and "Kid Blink," "Slimmy Jim" will respond to "The Strike, When We Licked," and other speakers of more or less prominence will be heard from. The uptown newsboys will dine at Lyric Hall, in Sixth-ave. This dinner is the gift of Frank Tilford, president of the Bank of

New-Amsterdam.
The friends of Senator Timothy D. Sullivan need only call around at his place of business, No. 207 Bowery, between the hours of 12 and 2, and they will find a dinner all ready for them, at the Bowery Mission and Young Men's Home, No. 55 Bowery, there will be a distribution of gifts to men at 8 a. m. The children of the neighborhood will have the privilege of plundering a Christmas tree at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and at S in the evening there will be a special meeting for men. The immigrants at Ellis Island and the Barge

Office will find that the new land which they have just reached is by no means an inhospitable shore. Under the supervision of Emil Schwab, a dinner will be distributed to all. No cawab, a dinner will be distributed by uestions as to age or place of birth will e asked. The dinner is by no means small,

he asked. The dinner is by no means small, and includes soup, turkey, roast beef, vegetables, celery, plum pudding and pie.

To the children in the neighborhood of No. 192 Second-ave. Mrs. Bella Cook, who has been confined to her bed for the last forty-four years, will distribute presents from her bedside, just as she has done for nearly the last half century. Many of the doctors who first were summoned to her when she was stricken have died before her. During her long illness the meadow that her. During her long illness the meadow that once encompassed her home has been covered with tall tenement houses. Many of the children who first came to her bedside on Christmas morning have children of their own, who visit "Aunt Bella" at this time to see what she has got for them in the way of jumping tacks for them in the way of jumping jacks

CHINATOWN TO TAKE A HAND.

The day will also be celebrated in Chinatown. At one of the restaurants, which in the eyes of the residents of Mott-st. far outranks the Waldorf-Astoria, there will be a special bill of fare, including not only the ordinary menu of bird's nest soup and chop suey, but regular New Eng-

some the Christmas festival will not end until to-morrow night. Among these will be the Sunday school children of the Church of the Transfiguration, who will have a Christmas tree in Scottish Rite Hall on Tuesday evening. "The Cricket on the Hearth," a stereopticon entertainment, will be given on that evening for the Sunday school children of the People's Methods.

odist Episcopsi Church.
The New-York Hospital will have its Christmas entertainment to-morrow in the children's ward at 8 p. m. and in the adult ward at 9:15

MUSIC IN THE CHURCHES TO-DAY. CHRISTMAS PROGRAMMES ARRANGED FOR VARIOUS CONGREGATIONS.

The Tribune presents the following additional programmes of music in various churches to-day, having printed a much longer list in yesterday's

BAPTIST.

issue:

Madison Avenue, 11 a. m.: Prelude-organ, piano and violin; andante....Wieniawski Prelude—organ, plane and Control of Control

PRESBYTERIAN.

West, at 11 a. m.: Anthem. "Awaket Put on Thy Strength, O Zion."

Anthem. P. A. Schnecker Mozart

At 8 p. m.: "And There Were Shepherds" Schnecker
O Them That Tellest Good Tidings, alto solo; "Reloure," sograno solo, "But Who May Abide the Day
of His Coming," bass solo, from Handel's "Messlah." West End, at 11 a. m.:
Anthem. "Christians, Awake"
Anthem. Hark What Mean"
Offertory, "Brightest and Best"

METHODIST EPISCOPAL Metropolitan Temple, morning:

Postlude, "Adeste Fideles"
Processional, "Come All Te Faithful"
Anthem. There Were Shepherds,
Ascription, Glory to God in the Highest
Offeriory, "Pascoral Symphony ("Messiah"),
Recessional, "Hark" the Herald Angels Sing St. Paul's, morning:

Organ prelude. "Allegretto Pastorale". Mozart Anthem. "Awake, Put on Thy Strength, O Zion. Schnecker Solo, "Christ Child". Quartet, "There Were Shepherds" Organ postlude, Hallelujah Chorus Evening, at 8 o'clock; Organ prelude, Andante con Moto Tours
Anthem, Sing, O Daughter of Zion Coombs
Offertory, Intermezzo
Solo, O Thou That Tellest Good Tidings Handel
Duet, Holy Night Dossert
Organ postude, choral—Ninth Symphony Beethoven

MISCELLANEOUS. The Church of the Divine Paternity, at 19:45

a. m.:
Prelude. 'Præludium.' violin and organ, from suite.
of. 10d. J. Rheinberger
of. 1ristmas Fantasy (organ) Homer A. Norrist
Bomanna (cello and organ) John Hyatt Brewer
Bomanna (wesiah) Handel

A Christman (cello and organ) John Hyati Briswer Anthem (Messiah) Handel Tenor solos "Comfort Ye." Every Valley."
Chorus, "And the Glory Bertheld Tours Anthem "Sing, O Heavens" Bertheld Tours Offertory (organ and violin)—Canzone, from suite, op. 166
Boprano solo, with violin obbligato, "O Holy Night."
Adam Organ prelude, "Chromatische Fantasie"...... At 7:45 p. m.:

At 7:45 p. m.

Organ prelude Grand Fantasia in E minor, 'The Storm' Lemmens Aria in C (violin, cello and organ). J. S. Bach Anthem. "Hall, Gladdening Light". George C. Martin Response, 'In Thee Lord, Po 1 Fut My Trust, 'O. P. Morrison Gloria Patri, in F. Berthold Tours Anthem. 'The Nativity' ('Lo.' in the Eastern Sky'). Harry Howe Shelley Offertory (barytone solo), 'Nazareth'. Gounod Chorus, Nunn Dimittis, in F. Berthold Tours Organ postiude, Toccata in F. Fifth Symphony. Ch. Marie Widor. Ch. Marie Widor

Madison Avenue Reformed, at 11 a. m .: Selections from Handel's "Messiah" - "Pastoral Sym-hony," organ and harp, "For Behold," barytone, "And

the Glory," chorus; "Comfort, Ye My People," tenor; "O Thou That Tellest," contraits and chorus; "There Were Shepherds Abiding in the Field," soprano; "Glory to God," chorus; Hallelula Chorus, organ and harp.

STAGE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS. LITTLE ONES MADE GLAD BY MANY GIFTS-

DANCING AFTER THE DISTRIBUTION. The thirteenth annual festival, Christmas tree and concert for the little children of the stage was given last night in Pastor's Theatre and Tammany Hall under the personal supervision of "Aunt

Louisa" Eldridge. The hearts of nearly four hundred little children between the ages of three and sixteen were made glad by plentiful Christmas gifts and a bountiful Christmas repast. A musical programme was pre-

sented by the children.

These festivals, which are supported by voluntary subscriptions, are got up by "Aunt Louisa" El-dridge and a committee of women, and among the subscribers are J. Pierpont Morgan, George Gould, Elbridge T. Gerry, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, E. C. Benedict, J. C. Osgood, E. J. Berwind, Joseph Stickney, A. D. Juilliard, Sir Henry Irving, Miss Ellen Terry, F. F. Proctor, B. F. Keith and many others. Nearly \$2,000 was received by the committee this

After the concert a large number of presents, including everything from makeup boxes to guitars and golf capes, all of which the children had expressed a desire for, were presented, and then the djourned to the Tammany Hall ballroom, where three large Christmas trees filled with promiscuous gifts for all the children were speedily miscuous gifts for all the children were spec-stripped of their good things. A bountiful din followed, and afterward dancing was indulged in The committee having the festival in charge v as follows: "Aunt Louisa" Eldridge, preside Mrs. E. L. Fernandez, vice-president. Anto Pastor, Joseph Herbert, Edgar Norton, E. Ros-baum, Frederick Faubel and Vivian Bernard, Misses Bijou Fernandez, Georgia Caine, Anna R inson, Kenyon, Bishop, Beatrice Moreland, Ma Misses Recommendation of the Committee of th

habies Juliette, Josephine and Minzenheimer. The calkwalk at the close of the musical programme was led by "Jap haby Charlle". Prior to the distribution of the gifts more than one hundred children were fitted out with clothing from head to foot.

OBITUARY.

STEPHEN R. POST. Stephen R. Post, one of the oldest members of

the Produce Exchange of this city, died yesterday at his home, No. 265 Gates-ave., Brooklyn. The will be at the home of the family on needay.

Post was sixty-nine years old, and was born asthury. Long Island. Mr. Post was sixty-nine years old, and was born in Westbury. Long Island. He came of a well known Quaker family of that place, and ever since his residence in Brooklyn, where he made his home when a young man, he was an active member of the Brooklyn Society of Friends. Mr. Post became connected with the Produce Exchange some years ago as an operator in grain. Of late years he had extended his business extensively along other lines. He was also a member of the Cotton Exchange. He leaves a widow, three sons and one daughter.

JAMES COUTANT. James Coutant, a member of the well known family of that name, which was among the early Huguenot settlers of New-Rochelle, died yesterday morning at his home near Tuckahoe. Mr. Coutant was the son of Elijah and Phorbe Coutant, and was in his sixty-ninth year. He died in the house in which he was born

SAMUEL J. CORNELL.

Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 24.-Samuel J. Cornell, manager of the Grand Hotel, in the Catskills, died at Dr. Sahler's sanitarium in this city to-day, where he had been under treatment. He late Joseph Cornell, of New-York. He was a son of the

THE WEATHER REPORT.

Washington, Dec. 24 .- A depression which on Satur-Atlantic States, developed during the night into a severe rm, with two centres of disturbance. One was Sunday morning over the District of Columbia and the other over Western Ontario. The two joined forces dur-ing the day, and to-night the storm centre is over ing the day, and co-mgit of the day, and co-mgit of the lowest barometer resulting being 20.05 inches. This storm has been attended by general rains in the Atlantic States, and Ohio Valley, and snows in the lake regions. Severe easterly gales on the Middle Atlantic preceded the northward movement of the lower disturbance, changing to westerly and diminishing somedisturbance, changing to westerly and diminishing some-what as the storm centre passed. There were also high easterly winds on the New-England coast, except in Eastern Maine, and high westerly winds in the interior of the country general as far west as the Mississippi River. It is snowing to-night in Northern and Eastern Missourt Southern Illinois. Central and Western In-diana, and at various places along the Great Lakes. Tem-peratures have fallen 6 to 30 degrees in the Ohio Valley.

PORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND TUESDAY. For Maine, snow to-day; colder in western portion, fair Tuesday, high easterly winds, shifting to westerly

For Massachusetts, colder to-day; fair in western, rain turning into snow in eastern portion; fair Tuesday; west to northwest gales to-day.

For Rhode Island, rain or snow and colder to-day; fair Fuesday, west to northwest gales to-day.
For New Hampshire and Vermont, snow, followed by dearing and colder to-day; fair Tuesday; high north-

For New-Hampshire and Vermont, snow, followed by clearing and colder to-day, fair Tuesday, high north-westerly winds to-day.

For Eastern New-York, colder to-day, fair in southern, snow, followed by clearing, in northern portion, fair Tuesday, high west to northwest winds, diminishing by to-night.

For the District of Columbia, Connecticut, Eastern Pennsylvania, New-Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, fair, colder to-day; fair Tuesday, high west to northwest winds, diminishing by to-night.

For Western Pennsylvania, snow to-day; fair Tuesday; high to high west to northwest winds.

For Western New-York, anow to-day, colder, except in the extreme western portion; fair Tuesday, high west to northwest winds.

TRIBUNE LOCAL OBSERVATIONS. HOURS: Morning. Night, 1234567 ** 1011 30.0

In this diagram the continuous white line shows the changes in pressure as indicated by The Tribune self-recording barometer. The dotted line shows the temperature as recorded at Perry's Pharmacy. Tribune Office, Dec. 25, 1 a. m .- The weather yesterday

was stormy in the morning, clearing early in the after-noon. The temperature ranged between 38 and 50 degrees, the average (46 degrees) being is of a degree lower than that of Saturday and 4% degrees higher than that of the corresponding date of last year. The weather to-day will be fair and cold. was stormy in the morning, The sore Throat to which public speakers are sub-

ject, can be at once relieved, and eventually cured, with Jayne's Expectorant. Poor dyspeptic, remove that bile and enjoy life by using Johnson's Digestive Tablets.

DIED.

Nesmith, William C., Jr. Olesen, Catharine A. W. Pinney, Harold R. Post, Stephen R. Tiffany, Julia W. White, Ann E. Allen, Julia G. C. Auchincioss, Mary B. Cornell, Samuel J. Corwin, William B. Covel, Charles E. Hall-Wood, Mary C. F. Johnson, Mary R.

ALLEN-Entered into rest, at Fordham, New-York City, December 23, Julia Goddard Child Allen, widow of the late Levi W Allen, esq., of South Hadley, Mass, Interment at South Hadley. AUCHINGLOSS—At her residence, No. 55 West 73d-st., on Friday, December 22, 1869, Mary Barr, daughter of the late Hugh Auchincles, sr., in the 88th year of her

age.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services on Tuesday morning, 26th inst., at 10 o'clock. CORNELL-Samuel J., suddenly, at Kingston, N. Y., of pneumonia, on December 24, 1869. Notice of funeral hereafter.

CORWIN—Entered into rest, December 22, 1899. William Bartlett Corwin, eldest son of Prancis N. W. and Sarah E. Corwin, aged 26 years, 10 months and 10 days. Funeral services at Christ Church, East Orange, Tuesday, December 26, at 2:30 p. m.
Interment at Rosedale Cemetery.

DIED.

HALSEY—At residence, 1739 Madison-ave. New-York. Saturday afternoon, December 28, 1809, Jesephine A. Mead, wife of George A. Halsey.
Puneral services Tuesday, December 26, 10 a.m., at Holy Trinity Church, corner 1224-st. and Lenox-ave. JOHNSON-On December 23, 1898, Mary R. Johnson, sister of Theodore F. Johnson.
Fuhrral services at her home, No. 66 Roseville-ave., New-ark, N. J. on Wednesday, December 27, at 2 p. m.

NESMITH-On Sunday morning, December 24, 1800, Will-lam Cunningham Nesmith, fr. infant son of William C. and Emeline W. Nesmith, 105 Montague-st. Funeral private.

OLSSEN—On Friday, December 22, 1890, at her dence, 7th-ave and 115th-at., Catharine A. Wood, widow of Richard H. Olssen, and daughter of the late David and Christina Wood, in the Sth year of her age. Funeral services Tuesday, December 26, at 1 p. m. PINNET-Harold R. Pinney, beloved son of Dwight C and Carrie W. Pinney, on Sunday, December 24, and

POST-On December 24, at his residence, No. 265 Gate ave., Brooklyn, Stephen R. Post, in the 69th year

e of funeral services hereafter.

ber 16 at 11 a. m.

Special Notices.

Heinigke & Bowen, New York

DAILY (without Sunday), 90 cents a month, address changed as often as desired; \$2 for three months; \$4 for six months; \$8 a year. SUNDAY TRIBUNE (separately), \$1 for six months; \$2 year. Address changed as often as desired.

TRI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE, issued Mondays, Wefinesdays and Fridays, \$1 50 a year. TRIBUNE ALMANAC for 1899, 25 cents a copy.

DAILY (with Sunday), \$1.73 a month. Address changed as often as desired.

DAILY (without Sunday), \$1.44 a month. Address changed as often as desired.

REMITTANCES.

OFFICES.

ibune is a convenient place leave advertisements and subscriptions.

'aris-J. Mo voe & Co., No. 7 Rus Seribe.

Hottinguer & Co., No. 38 Rus de Provence.

Morann, Hurles & Co., No. 31 Roulevard Hausemann

Credit Lyonnaise, Bureau des Etrangers.

American Express Company, No. 6 Rus Halevy.

Thomas Cook & Son, No. 1 Flace de l'Opera.

Leneva-Lombard, Odler & Co., and Union Bank.

Torence—Whitby & Cortains.

TRANSATIANTIC MAILS

WEDNESDAY—At 7 a. m. (supplementary 9 a. Europe, per s. s. St. Paul, via Southampton de Ireland must be directed "per s. s. St. Paul" a. m. (supplementary 10:30 a. m.) for Europe. "Teutonic, via Queenstown; at 10:39 a. m. for direct, per s. s. Westernland, via Antwerp dette

ePRINTED MATTER, ETC.—German steamers sailing on Theedays take Printed Matter, etc., for Germany, and Specially Addressed Printed Matter, etc., for other parts of Europe. American and White Star steamers on Wednesdays, German steamers on Thursdays, and Cunard, French and German steamers on Saturdays take Printed Matter, etc., for all countries for which they are advertised to carry mail. After the closing of the Supplementary Transatiantic Mails named above, additional supplementary mails are opened on the piers of the American, English, French and German steamers, and remain open until within Ten Minutes of the hour of sailing of steamer.

MAILS FOR SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA, WEST INDIES, ETC.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS.

Mails for Japan, China and the Philippine Islands, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 p. m. up to December (24, Inclusive, for dispatch per s. s. Algoa dietters must be directed "per Aigoa"). Mails for Society Islands, via San Francisco, close here daily at 6:30 p. m. up to December (24, Inclusive, for dispatch per s. s. Algoa), with the property of the property of

COVEL.—On Sunday December 24, 1869, Charles E., conf. Charles H. Covel, in his 32d year.
Funeral services will be held at his late residence, 217
Madison-st. Brooklyn, on Wednesday, December 27, 1890 at 2 o'clock.
Friends of the family, members of "Commonwealth Lodge, F. and A. M.," and "Brevoort Council, 1350, R. A.," are invited to be present.

12 years and 15 days.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, 196 Lefferts Place, Brooklyn, on Tuesday evening, December 26, at 4 p. 2.

Burial at convenience of family.

TIFFANY-On Priday evening, December 22, 1899, Julia Wheeler Tiffany, wife of Archdeacon Tiffany. Funeral at St. Bartholomew's Church, Tuesday, Decem-

WHITE-On Saturday, December 23, 1899, Ann Elizabeth White, aged 82 years, uneral services will be held on Tuesday morning. 26th inst, at 10 o'clock, at the residence of her son, No. 215 Sidney-ave., Mount Vermon, N. Y.

WHITNEY-On Saturday night, December 23, Margaret Whitney, widow of the late Jonathan 8, Whitney, Funeral service at her late residence, 164 St. Nicholasaye, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock, Priends will kindly emit flowers.

MEMORIAL WINDOWS.

Tribune Terms to Mail Subscribers. IN THE UNITED STATES. DAILY (with Sunday). \$1 a month, address changed as fren as desired; \$2.50 for three months; \$5 for six months;

WEEKLY TRIBUNE, issued Thursdays, \$1 a year; to foreign countries, except Mexico and Canada, \$204 a year, including extra postage.

FOR TRAVELLERS IN EUROPE.

IN NEW YORK CITY. One cent a copy extra postage is charged on the DAILT and TRI-WEEKLY to mail subscribers in New-York City.

REMITTANCES should always be made in Postoffice money order. Express money order, or draft on New-York City. If cash is sent by mail unregistered. The Tribune will not be responsible for its loss.

MAIN OFFICE—No. 154 Nassau-st.
UPTOWN OFFICE—No. 1,242 Broadway.

AMERICANS ABROAD will find The Tribune at
London—Office of The Tribune, No. 149 Fleet-st,
Morton, Chaplin & Co., No. 6 Princess-st., E. C.
Brown, Gould & Co., No. 54 New-Oxford-st.

American Express Company, No. 3 Waterloo Place.
Thomas Cool & Son, Ludgate Circus.
The London office of The Tribune is a convenient place to leave advertisements and subscriptions.

(Should be read DAILY by all interested, as changes may
Foreign mails for the week anding December 30, 1800,
will close (promptly in all cases) at the General Postoffice
as follows: Perceis Post Mails close one hour earlier
than closing time shown below. Parcels Post Mails for
Germany close at 5 p. m. Wednesday, for dispatch per
s. s. Rehen, Thursday, and at 5 p. m. Friday, for dispatch per s. s. Graf Waldersee.

must be directed "per Ethiopia").
THURSDAY—At 7 a.m. for France. Switzerland, Italy spain. Portugal, Turkey Egypt and British India, per s. *La Bretagne, via Havre detters for other parts of Europe must be directed "per s. s. La Bretagne"); a s. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s. Rotterdam, via Rotterdam dietters must be directed "per s. s. Rotterdam.

dam").

ATURDAY—At S.s. m. for Netherlands direct, per s. s. Massdam via Botterdam detters must be directed "per s. s. Massdam"): at 9 s. m. for Italy, per s. s. Werra"); at 10 s. m. for Scotland direct, per s. s. Merra"); at 10 s. m. for Scotland direct, per s. s. Anchoris, via Glasgow detters must be directed "per s. s. Anchoris"); at 10:30 s. m. (supplementary 12 m.) for Europe, per s. s. "Campania, via Queenstown.

TUESDAY-At 9 p. m. for Jamaica, per steamer from

INDIES, ETC.

TUESDAY—At 3 p. m. for Jamaica, per steamer from Boston.

WEDNESDAY—At 7 a. m. for Jamaica, per steamer from Philadelphia; at 8 a. m. for Bermuda, per s. a. Trinidad; at 9.30 a. m. (supplementary 10.30 a. m.) for Central America (except Costa Rica) and South Pacific ports, per s. a. Advance, via Colon detters for Gustemals, must be directed "ber a. a. Advance"); at 10.30 a. m. for Puerto. Pico, per U. S. transport, via San Juan; at 1 p. m. for Cuba, Vucatan, Campecha, Tahasoo and Cilipan, per s. a. Vigilancia, via Havana and Progreso Geters for other parts of Mexico must be directed "per s. a. Vigilancia, via Havana and Progreso Geters for other parts of Mexico must be directed "per s. a. Ithaka, via Tampico Getters must be directed "per s. a. Ithaka, via Tampico Getters must be directed "per s. a. Advance.

THURSDAY—At 1 p. m. for Santiago and Manzanillo, per s. a. Centurgeos.

FRIDAY—At 1 p. m. for Puerto Rico, per s. a. Mae, via San Juan; at 1 p. m. for Jamaica, per s. a. Origen Getters count be directed "per s. L. Plata Countries direct, s. a. Miramara, Jamaica, Saventila and Carthagens, per s. a. Advance, via Havana; at 1 p. m. for Unba, per s. s. Mexico, via Havana; at 1 p. m. for Cuba, per s. s. Mexico, via Havana; at 1 p. m. for Newfoundland, be rail to North Sydney, and thence by steamer, close at this office daily at Sa0 p. m. for metalland, and San Demingo, per s. s. New York.

SUNDAY Gisti—At 5 a. m. for Barbades and Northern Brazil, via Para and Manaso, per s. s. Cearance, Mais for Newfoundland, by rail to Mismi, Fia, and thence by steamer, close at this office daily at Sa0 p. m. Mails for Cuba, by rail to Poet Tampa, Fia, and thence by steamer, close at this office daily dexcept Monday. Mails for Miguelon, by rail to Hoston, and the connecting closes are on Sunday. Mails for Miguelon, by rail to Rose at this office daily at 230 a. m. and 230 p. m. Ten

HALL-WOOD-At Santa Barbara, Cal., December 13, 1899, Mary C. F. Hall-Wood, daughter of the late James H. and Mary Foster, of Monticello, N. Y.